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CLAIMS

- 1. Use of glycophosphopeptical for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of allergy/asthma for administration to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment.
- Use of glycophosphopeptical for the preparation of an asthma/allergy drug, such as extrinsic, intrinsic or mixed asthma, allergic and perennial rhinitis, allergic conjunctivitis, chronic urticaria, atopic dermatitis, and/or laryngeal oedema, to be administered to a mammal such as human in need of such treatment.
- 3. A Pharmaceutical composition comprises glycophosphopeptical, in any pharmacologically active form at a concentration of the extract which is effective as a Th1 stimulating agent.
- 4. A Pharmaceutical composition as claimed in claim 3 further comprising an excipient.
- 5. A method of treatment of diseases caused by type I IgE-mediated hypersensitivity reaction comprising the administration to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment, of an effective dose of glycophosphopeptical.
- 20 6. The claim 4 including a dosage regimen as a characterizing feature, administering to a patient suffering from a chronic disease a short-term therapy of 5-20 days, preferably 5 days, of a Th1 stimulating agent, to get a long-term clinical remission of months as a result of selective switching-off of the eosinophilic inflammation.
- 7. The use of the pure seeds of Nigella sativa for the preparation of an asthma and allergy agent in a concentration which was found to perform substantially the same function in substantially the same way to obtain substantially the same results as with glycophosphopeptical.
- 30 8. A Pharmaceutical composition as claimed in claim 6 further comprising an excipient.
 - 9. A medicament as claimed in any preceding claim, which is adapted and/or packaged for

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periodic administration to said mammal in doses over a period of 5-20 days, preferably 5 days in doses at least once daily up to ten times/day.

- 10. A medicament as claimed in claim 9, characterized in that each one of said doses comprises up to 2000mgs of said active agent, preferably about 200-1000mgs, of said active agent, adapted for oral administration to said mammal in capsules, or tablets, or lozenges, or as a powder, or a suspension, or a syrup
- 11. A medicament as claimed in any of claims 2, 3, and 7, which is adapted for topical administration to said mammal such as a human, in the form of eye or nasal drops or ointment, also skin or vaginal cream or ointment.
- 12. A kit comprising a medicament as claimed in claim 10 and 11 packaged in separate doses for periodic administration to said mammal such as a human, contains written or printed instructions.
- 13. The method of claim 5 and 7 is dependent on the fact that interferon is an in vivo Eosinophilic Chemotactic Factor, and that serum interferon and Th1 lymphocytes are controlling the pre-inflammatory phase of allergic reaction.

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- 14. The manufacture of a diagnostic kit to diagnose allergy and asthma and to asses the severity Of the disease, using of a quantitative serum interferon concentration measurement.
- 25 15. The method of claim 5 and 7 wherein the recommended dose of Th1 lymphocytes stimulating agent is sufficient to selectively switch -off the eosinophilic inflammation in the patient's airway.
- 16. The method of claim 5 and 6 wherein Th1 lymphocytes stimulating agents, are capable of stimulating T lymphocytes in culture, comparable to Purified Protein Derivative of BCG, as a classical Cell Mediated Immunity stimulating agent.

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- 17. Use of Th1 stimulating agents for the preparation of an agent for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of diseases characterized by a body immune defensive mechanism is Cell Mediated Immunity as viral respiratory tract infections such as, but not limited to influenza and common cold, other viral infections.
- 18. A method of treatment of viral respiratory tract infections such as, but not limited to influenza and common cold, other viral infections comprising the administration to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment, of an effective dose of Th1 stimulating agents.
- 19. Use of Th1 stimulating agents for the preparation of an agent for the treatment and/or prophylaxis of diseases characterized by a body immune defensive mechanism is Cell Mediated Immunity as acute and recurrent urinary tract infection, pelvic inflammatory diseases such as but not limited to neuroimmune appendicitis, and cancer.
- 20. A method of treatment of as acute and recurrent urinary tract infection, pelvic inflammatory diseases such as but not limited to neuroimmune appendicitis, and cancer comprising the administration to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment, of an effective dose of Th1 stimulating agents.
- 21. A method of treatment of crohns disease comprising the administration to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment, of an effective dose of Th1 stimulating agents in order to stimulate Cell Mediated Immunity.
- 25 22. Use of Th1 stimulating agent, for the treatment of crohns disease to be administered to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment.
 - 23. A method of treatment of facial palsy comprising the administration to a mammal such as a human in need of such treatment, of an effective dose of Th1 stimulating agents.
 - 24. Use of Th1 stimulating agent, for the treatment of facial palsy to be administered to a mammal such as a human in need of such therapy.